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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Dixit et al.

Group Art Unit: To be assigned

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Title: *Interleukin-1 β Converting Enzyme Like Apoptotic Protease-6*

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir :

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed October 23, 2001, please enter the amendments below and consider the remarks which follow.

Submitted herewith are: (1) a Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment with Exhibits A-D; (2) a Substitute Specification (75 pages); (3) a Substitute Sequence Listing in paper and computer readable forms; (4) a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f); (5) a Version With Markings To Show Changes Made; and (6) a Fee Transmittal Sheet.

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification

Please replace the previously filed specification with the attached Substitute Specification.

Please replace the sequence listing at pages 64-71 of the Substitute Specification and any previously filed substitute sequence listing with the attached Substitute Sequence Listing. The Substitute Sequence Listing is numbered as pages 1-6; please renumber the pages of the Substitute Sequence Listing and the Substitute Specification as appropriate.

Please ~~cancel~~ the paragraph at page 8, lines 7-12.